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Following are some notes on Plasta Kunstharz - und Pressmassefabrik, Erkner for the month of March 1954:

1. New Installations.

The remainder of the plant, hitherto stored in other places, has now been installed. This includes:

- a. 1 triple-band drier (Dreibandtrockner).
- b. 2 copper boilers (Kupferreaktionskessel) of 400 liters capacity.

2. Arrivals of Raw Materials.

<u>Material</u>	<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Origin</u>
Cresol	28 tank cars	Leuna.
"	70 tons (approximately)	"
Formalin.	20 tank cars	"
Pure phenol	24 tons (approximately)	Espenhain
Urea	45 tons (approximately)	?
Asbestos	24 tons (approximately)	?
Barites	60 tons (approximately)	?
Sawdust	70 cwt. (approximately)	

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3. Production Deliveries.

<u>Product</u>	<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Destination</u>
Urea resin	28 tons (approximately)	Berlin
Urea resin molding compound	45 tons (approximately)	Sonneberg

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<u>Product</u>	<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Destination</u>
Phenol plastics	70 tons (approximately)	Poland
" "	35 tons (approximately)	Koeppelsdorf
" "	75 tons (approximately)	East Germany
Phenol and cresol resin solutions	50 tons (approximately)	People's Democracies.
Cresol resin	15 tons (approximately)	Leuna
Phenol resin	5 tons (approximately)	"
Phenol resin solution	15 tons (approximately)	East Germany
Aminoplastics	50 tons (approximately)	Button factories

4. Miscellaneous

An exhibition of synthetic compounds will be held at Berolinahaus in Alexanderplatz, Berlin, from 16 March to 12 April 1954. The Plasta Kunstharz- und Pressmasse-fabrik, Erkner is participating in the exhibit.

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